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FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Composed of the Counties of Pasquotank, Perquimans, Camden, Currituck, Dare, Tyrrell, Hyde, Beaufort, Washington and Halifax.

Member of Congress, Wm Barrow, Jackson; Assessor of Internal Revenue, Wm Barrow, Jackson; Collector of Internal Revenue, Hiram E Stilley, Washington.

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Is composed of the counties of Pasquotank (Court held on 10th Monday after the first Monday in March and 2nd Monday after the first Monday in September—County seat Elizabeth City), Camden, (Court held on 1st Monday in March and October—County seat Camden), Currituck, (Court 12 Monday after first Monday in March and October) Chowan, (Court 6th Monday after 1st Monday in March and October—County seat Edenton,) Perquimans, (Court 11 Monday after the first Monday in March and October—County seat Currituck C. H.) Pasquotank, (Court 4th Monday after the 1st in March and October—County seat Elizabeth City,) Gates, (Court 4th Monday after the 1st in March and October—County seat Gatesville,) Hertford, (Court 2nd Monday in March and October—County seat Winton) Perquimans, (Court 8th Monday after 1st Monday in March and October—County seat Hertford,) and Dare, (Court in June and January—County seat Roanoke Island,) Judge Hon. CHARLES C. POOL. Elizabeth City; Solicitor, Hon. J. W. ALBERTSON, Hertford.

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ELIZABETH CITY, N. C. May 12, 1870. 1y.

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ATTORNEY AT LAW AND

GENERAL COLLECTOR,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

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Jan. 13, 1870-1y.

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DR. JAS. N. BUTT, Can be found at all hours of the day, at his Drug Store. In consequence of ill health he is engaged almost exclusively in an Office Practice. Those wishing medical attention will find him at home at all hours and avoid the annoyance of hunting a Physician absent on professional duties in the country.

E. City Sept. 15, 1870.

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" visit in Eliz. City, and prescription, 1 50

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" visit in Eliz. City, at night..... 5 00

" visit in country—the first mile..... 2 00

" each after mile, per mile..... 50

" visit one mile in country, at night, or in bad weather..... 6 00

" each after mile, at night, or in bad weather..... 1 00

Prompt settlement required.

W. G. POOL, M. D.

Elizabeth City, July 1, 1869—tf.

DENTISTRY.

The undersigned has opened an office in Elizabeth City, N. C., for the purpose of practicing Dentistry in all its branches.

☞ Office in the North Carolinian building second story, corner Main and Road streets.

I. T. ANDREWS.

May 26, 1870—tf.

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MEALS at all hours. Special accomodations for Ladies.

Fruits and Confectionaries of all kinds always on hand.

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Having purchased Winner's Gallery I take this method of announcing to my friends and the public that I will continue the business in all its departments. Having had over a dozen years experience I flatter myself to be able to give full satisfaction. My instruments and material are all of the very best. My sky light is of the latest improved, enabling me to take pictures in cloudy weather as well as clear. All work guaranteed or the picture taken over or the money refunded.

WM. C. DAWSON.

E. City, May 11, 1871.—tf.

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The undersigned has resumed the business of House, Sign and Ornamental PAINTER, and respectfully tenders his services to the public in that line of business.

His reputation as a painter is well known in this, and the surrounding counties; and the promptness with which he has heretofore acted, and the faithfulness with which all work entrusted to him has always been done, he hopes will again insure him a liberal patronage.

THOMAS R. BLAND.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Sept. 30, 1869—1y.

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NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL DEPOT,

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36—1y.

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ELIZABETH CITY, Feb. 23, 1871-1y.

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Office: Elizabeth City, N. C.

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LIVERY STABLES.

JONE'S LIVERY STABLES

At Elizabeth City, N. C.

I would announce to my friends and the public that I am still at the old place on Main street, a few doors west of Road, and keep horses, buggies, carriages, &c., for hire. Persons promptly accommodated at all times and on reasonable terms.

ARTHUR L. JONES.

Mar. 17, 1870.-68—1y.

LIVERY STABLES

AT ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

The subscriber takes this method of informing his old friends and the public generally that he is still at the "old stand" and continues to keep horses, buggies, carriages &c., for hire. Persons accommodated at all times and on reasonable terms. Remember the place—on Road Street near the canal bridge.

C. B. BROTHERS.

1yr.

Poetry.

Solitude.

Strange, pensive spirit, wandering afar;
Hiding their beauty in the leafy wood,
Shedding the blessing from the evening star,
Kind angel, comforter, and chiefest good
Of those who mourn for lov'd ones far away,
Of those who keep Life's golden blossoms fade
For when strange faces crowd about our way.
The wailing heart turns sick and jaded
Longing to taste the crystal streams that flow
Cooling and fresh, unseen by mortal eyes,
From sources that the world can never know,
Because from the sweet Solitude they rise.

Teach Me Thy Way.

Maker of all—earth, sea and air—
Ruler of the night and day,
Long as I live beneath Thy care,
While goodness keep and mercy spare,
Be ever this my heartfelt prayer—
"Teach me Thy way."

Selected Story.

My Bit of Romance.

BY INON.

I was lying lazily under the hedge, on the side away from the road, and chewing a straw. The sun was glaring half way down the west, and I had no intention of coming out from that shade until it began to moderate slightly. I was amusing myself idly by lifting and poising a strong ten foot pole which lay near, and trying to balance it on one hand, listening, meanwhile, to the songs of the birds.

I was thinking, too, of a dark browed young fellow with a villainous expression, whom I had seen standing about the hotel door as I came out; and of whom I heard it whispered that he was in love with a young lady at the house, who had rejected him, and was now likely to be in danger, since he was ex ceedingly jealous. I had noticed, as I passed, the butt of a revolver under his coat (a shape I had become familiar with) and a bad glitter in his eye. I did not care particularly about him, however; but was wondering whether the young lady was pretty, and if I should see her. Then, if I wouldn't happen to have a chance to rescue her from this rejected suitor, and what an adventure it would be. Then I devoted my attention to the pole again.

Suddenly I heard the clatter of hoofs coming down the road at a tremendous pace. The sound was so sudden and sharp that I instantly sprang to my feet and looked over the hedge. Three hundred yards away was a black horse bestridden by the figure of a man with a black slouch hat, and brandishing a revolver in one hand, while with the other he held the bridle of a large bright bay, which carried a young lady with a trailing feather in her hat and a long dress. She was waving her hand and screaming for help, while she pulled with all her strength on the bridle reins. But his strong hand held them firm, and the bay, frightened by the struggle, stretched forward at his best gait. Why this scoundrel was dragging away with him this damsel fair I did not stop to inquire; nor did I commit the absurdity of leaping into the road and trying to stop him. That revolver looked ready for use. In one instant I grasped my ten-foot pole and started across the fields at full jump, to where the road made a sudden swerve to the right and gave me a cross-cut. I reached this end of the field four rods in advance of the flying steeds. Down I went on one knee and projected my pole through the hedge at the right moment. It instantly tangled the legs of the black; and away he went over on his shoulder, while his rider flew clear over his head, turned, and was flung heavily on his back with the ruin of the other horse clenched in his fist. The bay gave his arm one strong twitch, felt the check, and stopped, quivering through his whole frame.

I planted my pole and came lightly over the hedge. I was at the side of the bay in two steps and had secured a hold on the bit, when the lady gave one little sigh, and slid off her saddle into my arms. Seeing that her horse was pretty well anchored by the dismounted cavalier, I let go the bridle to support my lovely burden—for I had already taken a look into the face of the lady I had rescued, and saw that she was extremely pretty. She supported herself on my arm for a few minutes, and then said faintly:

"Let me go, Mr. Peyton, this is an insult."

As I did not rejoice in the name of Peyton, and as she was not able to stand, I took the liberty of disobeying her; and she, not having strength to enforce her orders, reclined quietly in my arms. At length, with a shudder, she rallied herself, and rolled her great brown eyes into mine.

"Why," she said, with difficulty, "you are not Mr. Peyton! What is the matter, sir?"

Then she looked round.

"Oh!" she exclaimed, as she saw the struggling horse and senseless rider; Mr. Peyton was thrown—I remember. Is he killed? And look at that poor horse! Oh, dear!"

She began to cry, and I had to murmur a few words of encouragement in her ear. Then she glanced around and glided gently out of my arms.

Then another look into my face.

"He was dragging my horse along, wasn't he? And I thank you for stopping us?"

"I stopped him. I trust it was right. You seemed unwilling."

"Unwilling!" and she beamed out in a glorious smile. "He surprised me while I was riding down this road—took the bridle and dragged me along. I scarcely know what would have happened if you had not stopped us. Oh! is he killed?"

"I am sure I don't know," said I; for I was too cold blooded to be upset by such an affair as this. "I will see whether his heart beats. Yes, it does," as I slid my hand under his vest. Then I glanced in his face. It was the man whom I had seen in the door of the hotel. This must be the young lady who had rejected him. I glanced up with this suspicion in my eye, and she blushed rosily.

I lifted the man's head on my knee, I remarked:

"Miss—"

"Dallas."

"If you will get me some water in this hat, from the spring running through the hedge back yonder, I think we will recover this graceless scamp—if you think he deserves it." And I flung her his sombrero.

"You had better put this over that dead thorn bush," I added, untwisting the rein of her horse from his fingers and tossing it to her.

"This," I said, *sotto voce*, "I will appropriate;" and from his other hand I wrenched his revolver and put it in my pocket.

Miss Dallas came back with a hat full of cold water, and commenced to bathe his forehead with it. It is mere senseless cruelty to dash an icy flood over a helpless man and she knew it. Peyton was not seriously hurt, and with two or three gasps he lifted his head. Miss Dallas, seeing that she was not further needed, retreated behind me.

Peyton then drew himself up, staggered to his feet, and stood dizzy and glaring.

"What the deuce did you do to my horse?" he said, savagely, as his senses came back.

"What are you doing with this young lady?" I retorted as fiercely.

"None of your business. Let her go. She's mine. I shall have her!" and he made a spring at Miss Dallas, who shrank away from him.

I took the liberty of sliding my arm around her waist, and placing myself in his way. I coolly drew his revolver and leveled it at his head.

"My ardent friend," said I, "I presume you have an aversion to cold lead. most men have. Now, I would advise you to mount that horse, and make tracks down the road as fast as he'll carry you. If I find you in this part of the country again, I'll shoot you like a dog!" and I raised my voice to a coarse shout that cowed him.

He silently set his shoulder to the horse's side, rolled him up on his feet, stood a few minutes in the stirrups, and then dashed down the road, still under the unflinching muzzle of my pistol.

When he disappeared around the curve, I turned to Miss Dallas, who was still looking after him.

"Oh!" she said, "how did you have the courage to do all that? I am so much abliged to you. I shall feel always indebted. I should never have thought of doing all those things."

This was very sweet to hear from the rosy lips of a pretty young woman, and I replied gaily:

"It is nothing. If I could have stopped the black with my own life I would gladly have done so."

Then she blushed faintly.

"I suppose I needn't say that you have relieved me from a very unwelcome situation.

"If he ever troubles you again," I said, "I shall carry out my threat," and I let down the hammer of my revolver and put it in my pocket. "The young villian—to trouble *you!* But will you return to the hotel? We are not far away?"

"If you please," said she, smiling sweetly; "my friends must be anxious."

I led up her horse, gave her a hand into the saddle, and, as the bay was frightened and restless, took a firm hold on the bit and led him slowly. Proceeding thus in pleasant conversation, in which I must confess I conducted the horse blindly, for I was looking up in her face, we came before the hotel. I stopped the bay by the porch, where there was fortunately no one waiting to stare at us, and assisted her to alight. She turned to say—

"I shall be glad to see you at dinner," and then glided up stairs.

I took the horse around to the stables and gave the groom a double fee.

Our dinner hour was awaited on with more than ordinary impatience. I knew I should then see the young lady again and become acquainted with her. Suddenly an idea struck me, inspired by my knowledge of social strategy, which is as deep, if not as deadly, as that of war. I bolted into the dining room, where the colored servants were shuffling to and fro, and stopped the head waiter.

"I say, Sam, is there any young lady stopping here?"

"Young lady!"-said he, showing his white teeth in a wide smile. 'Bout fifty." Sam!" And he found a crisp new two dollar note in his hands. His interest and preception were instantly brightened.

"This one," I continued, "is very pretty; has brown eyes, light hair; went out for a ride this morning in a black dress and with a long feather in her hat."

"Oh, yes," said the obsequious Sam, smiling and rubbing his hands. "This way, sah. Lady's name is Miss Dallas?"

"Yes."

"Then she sits right here, sah. Here's their napkins, and here's the young lady's."

"Thank you, Sam," I said. "Can you put me just opposite?"

"Yes, sah; no trouble," replied the servant, displaying a whole row of ivory. I'll just change the napkins."

Napkins were the great care of Sam's life. He marshalled them and kept them in ranks with as much mental effort as a commander-in-chief before a battle. He pondered deeply a few moments, took up my napkin, and finally made an exchange with one opposite to Miss Dallas.

"You can sit here now, sah," said Sam, when the arrangement was completed. "Very much obliged to you, sah, indeed."

This masterly manœuver being completed, I left the dining-room and paced the piazza with an unlighted cigar in my teeth

In fifteen minutes the gong sounded, and Sam, still grinning, stepped out on the porch hammering his infernal machine.

"That'll do, Sam," said I stopping my ears. "Have they come down?"

"Yes, sah," said Sam, "They'se just taking their seats now."

I tossed my cigar out on to the road, strolled into the dining-room and took my way toward my chair. Sure enough there on the other side of the table sat my lovely friend, and beside her a white-haired old gentleman and a pleasant-faced lady. I seated myself with a slight grating of my chair. In an instant I found myself looking into her deep liquid eyes, while a glad surprise shone in her face. She whispered a few words to the old gentleman, and he looked up and smiled at me.

"How do you do, sir?" he exclaimed. "I really must thank you sincerely for your bold act. Let me shake hands with you."

He extended his arm frankly across the table, and I raised mine to respond.

Then occurred one of those unforseen accidents which forever remain inexplicable. I do not know how it happened. Peyton's loaden revolver was still in my breast-pocket. I lifted the muzzle of it in raising my arm, and in a moment there was an explosion within my vest which seemed to tear me to atoms. I felt a leaden weight in my chest, and my chair tipped over backward. I tried in vain to stop it; but just before it reached the ground the agony of feelings seemed emerged in a deeper pain, and I floated off into space. Then "my pulses closed their gates with a shock on my heart," the ceiling spun round, and all thought stopped. * * * * * * * *

Suddenly I found myself oppressed by a painful problem. Celebration was commencing again. The problem was, what had happened after a great accident befel me once upon a time. I caught up two or three threads of thought and dropped them again hopelessly. I could not fix my mind. At last, like the rapid unrolling of a panorama, the whole explanation dawned upon me. I remembered the whole course of incidents, and found myself lying in bed with bandages tightly corded around me. Then I opened my eyes slowly and looked

The first object that met my gaze was Miss Dallas. She was sitting near by, and had evidently been watching me; though just now she was looking at the clock.

"Five," I heard her murmur; "and the docter said he would become conscious about this time. I wonder how soon? Poor, brave fellow."

My heart gave a great throb of joy, and I closed my eyes again as she turned toward me. She laid her cool hand——

By the way reader, I have utterly neglected to inform you that I was already, in slang phrase, a "gongozlin." I now parenthetically impart to you the astounding secret that I had been utterly and hopelessly in love with this fair creature since the moment that I thrust the ten foot pole between her and cruel fate.

She laid her cool, supple hand on my forehead and then on my wrist. I could bear it no longer, and so I looked and gazed full in her face. She released my hand with a cry that was half astonishment, half joy.

"Miss Dallas?" I asked with difficulty.

"Yes, Mr. Sheldon," she replied.

"How do you feel, sir?"

"Very weak," I said. "Is this wound mortal."

"Oh, no, sir," she said, her lips turning pale. "Only very dangerous. We are to take good care of you, that's all."

"Are you?" I said. "Well, I'll ask a favor. Please give me your hand."

"Certainly," she said, putting it out frankly.

It was not only my eager fingers closed upon it that she understood my meaning. She made a faint effort to disengage herself.

The color shot in her check, playing across her fine face like the changing flush of northern lights. She trembled as she felt herself thus suddenly challenged to the "new departure." It was the climax of her youthful life, and she stood confused and silent upon its perilous verge. Still holding her hand in my passionate grasp, I drew her fair head down and planted the first kiss of love upon her rosy lips. Then she fled from the room in fright.

That kiss was a powerful tonic. As Aunt Hetty would say of her elecampane, it was "both heatin' and coolin' and desperate strengthenin'." The doctor was agreeably astonished at the rapid healing of my wound. He gravely agreed that there was nothing like good nursing. I felt the truth of this last opinion, but I never passed such an insufferable long two months in my life.

I knew that, according to the good old proverb, Minnie Dallas and I should have "repented at leisure." So perhaps we did—that we hadn't known each other sooner.

Communicated.

Washington City and its Places of Interest.
No. 4.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

As we leave the "Washington Hotel" to continue our pedestrianism along the Avenue absorbing any and all places of interest which may rise above the clouds of dust that frequently impairs one's optical vision, on this national boulevard along its smooth course, we observe the members of foreign legations in their elegant vehicles lounging upon their ease and position, inhaling the invigorating atmosphere of our young Republic, which is sooner or later to convert them to our rules and forms of Government; at a more rapid pace may be seen the representative American, passing these representative foreigners, thus showing the spirit of progress in the former, while that of the latter needs no comment from my pen. Then again we see before us many fine equipages the occupants of which are some very elegantly dressed ladies, driving their fast and spirited horses with that masterly skill little dreamed of by the fair maidens of your quiet town. Isometimes look at them with amazement, and wonder at the fearless and intrepid manner in which they guide and manage their spirited team, and even put to shame some of the gay and dashing outfits driven by more experienced and masterly hands.

The next object which strikes our attention is the "National Hotel." We find it to be a very commodious building, fitted up in a very superior style and has quite a commanding appearance. The house is crowded with guests from all sections of the Union, and presents quite a scene of bustle and activity. The Billiard Saloon connected with this Hotel is quite an extensive affair, and at night may be seen several hundred persons, congregated to view the masterly skill which some professed players exhibit. It is indeed an exciting place to spend an evening especially if one is afflicted with the ennui.

The "Metropolitan Hotel" is the next place we observe, which is also quite an extensive building, having recently been refitted with everything to add to the comforts of the guests, thereby keeping up its deserved reputation. A few doors above this we find "St. Maic Hotel" conducted on the principle of the "European Style," *pay for what you call for.* It is situated at the junction of the Avenue and 7th St. cars. At this point you may find it always in a state of activity and bustle, in part, owing to the change from one car to the other, and also of its being a general place of meeting for all pedestrians as one would suppose by mutual consent.

Diagonally across from this Hotel is the principal market space, a rather poor and dilapidated wooden structure, but am glad to say there is now being erected quite an extensive brick building covering nearly five acres of ground, which when finished will be quite an ornament to the city. Opposite this market space is a very handsome but small park, enclosed within a neat and pretty iron fence, ornamented with shade trees of all kinds, while to its grateful shades during the hot summer months many persons resort for the purpore of rest and recreation.

Proceeding up the Avenue, about three o'clock, P. M., we see a vast number of people hurrying to and fro, and one would almost imagine that he will become lost in this mass of human beings, and our minds recall the fact that "office hours" are closed, and these are the many clerks, let *loose* from their six hours' duty.—Among this number may be seen many females, some of them very beautiful while I must confess some very homely, still they all seem glad to get out once more to breathe the pure and invigorating fresh air, after being confined to hot air for *six long hours.* At this time of the day the Avenue seems to be more crowded than at any other time, owing to the ladies and gentlemen vying with each other in decking themselves out in all their finery, to promenade this thoroughfare.

The buildings along the Avenue as a general thing, look more ancient than I had supposed, very few of them presenting more than an ordinary appearance, and especially on the south side, this is commented on very generally by the citizens and strangers visiting this great metropolis.

On reaching 12th Street, the next object is the "Jenness Hotel," which is quite a handsome building, not very large but exceedingly neat and cleanly. This Hotel is rated as A 1, and I speak knowingly when I say the fare is of the very best possible kind.

Beside this Hotel is the "National Theatre," the only one now in the City, which I must say speaks very little for the spirit of progress that seems to pervade this entire community. It seems to me that a city of this magnitude needs and should have at least two first class theatres, for I have been on two or three occasions to the "National," and could scarcely find standing room, and so poorly is the external appearance of it, one would hardly suspect it to be a place of amusement, much less a theatre.

As we proceed we are at a loss to find anything else of interest till we come to the great and magnificent, yea, stupendous structure, the "Treasury Building" of this country, and now leaving my readers at this point of interest until my fifth letter, I respectfully bid you all adieu.

Washington, D. C., F.

February 2d, 1872.

Miscellaneous.

Ex-Attorney General A. T. Akerman.—A Testimonial of Respect from the Southern Members of Congress—Mr. Akerman's Reply.

The following correspondence between the Southern members of Congress and Mr. Akerman will be read with interest:

Washington, D. C., Dec. 30, 1871.

Hon. AMOS T. AKERMAN,

SIR: We beg you to accept in retiring from the office of Attorney General of the United States, an expression of our kindest regard.

Being yourself a resident of one of the States lately in rebellion, you have been able to appreciate fully the situation of those white and colored citizens in the South who are well disposed to the National Government, and are seeking to guard and perpetuate the union of the States. Your efficient efforts in the suppression of organized violence and in the restoration of law and order have been wisely directed and zealously continued. The humblest citizen, whose color or political opinions have subjected him to persecution and outrage, has felt more secure in his cabin at night from the knowledge that you were at the head of the Department of Justice, and were able from personal experience and local acquaintance

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Republican State Convention.

In accordance with a resolution of the State Executive Committee of the Union Republican party of North Caroling, adopted by said Committee, a State Convention of the Republican party of this State, is called to meet in the City of Raleigh, on Wednesday, the 17th day of April next.

The Convention is called for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices of Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, State Treasurer, Attorney-General, Superintendant of Public Instruction, Secretary of State, Auditor, and for other purposes.

According to the Plan of Organization of the party, each county will be entitled to as many votes in the Convention as it has members in the House of Representatives of the General Assembly.

S. F. PHILLIPS, Chairman.

J. C. HARRIS, Secretary.

WHAT THE REPUBLICAN PARTY HAS ACCOMPLISHED.

We have often alluded with feelings of pride and triumph to what the Republican party has accomplished, not only for the country but for the great cause of liberty and progress. To save a country from the sacrilegious hands of those attempting to destroy it is a political blessing of incalculable value. To break the fetters which have for ages bound an oppressed race was a victory on behalf of suffering and struggling humanity. To enfranchise a race which but a few years ago was treated by the highest judicial tribunal of the nation as "having no rights which a white man was bound to respect," was a triumph of right over might, of progress over conservatism, of good over evil, such as may well make illustrious in history the party which accomplished it. But when we have made these allusions we have felt some restraint as a member of that party in sounding its own praises. But this is not necessary. Our enemies themselves are coming to the front and acknowledging that what we have done is good and not evil, aye, and they are going so far as to ask the more malignant of their political associates, to beware how they attempt to disturb the admitted results of Republican control of this government.

Now while all this may not be any special evidence of the ushering in of the millenium, it is strong presumptive evidence that we have been right all the time. Every Democrat who advocates the "new departure" virtually concedes the value of what we have done for the country. Our cause is better than theirs, our enemies themselves being judges. Else why assume to be satisfied with it? Why consent to let it stand? If it be morally wrong; if it be deleterous to the interests of the country, or of mankind at large, the work of our party ought to be overturned as speedily as possible. When the Slaveratic Democracy attempted to make "finalities" which the Republicans believed to be wrong, we boldly avowed our purpose to *disturb* those "finalities." We drew our batteries from the forum and the press upon them, and we boldly declared our purpose never to close them until they were repealed, and rightious measures instituted in their place. That was a manly and lawful method of warfare, and most gallantly did our party pursue it. The party of Freedom was thrice armed because it felt that its quarrel was just. But now we have the spectacle of a party accusing us of violent and flagrant outrages on the Constitution, and yet proposing to submit to that violence and injustice, in order to gain for themselves political power! Is it any marvel the people should feel neither respect for or confidence in such a party?

THE SENATORIAL QUESTION.

On Tuesday of last week the Democratic Legislature of this State went through the form—shall we say *farce?*—of electing a United States Senator. The honor was conferred upon Gen. M. W. RANSOM, of Northampton. This election was neither legal nor Constitutional. The law provided that an election be held in November 1870. The Legislature proceded to elect in pursuance of this law. The persons voted for where ZEBULON B. VANCE and JOSEPH C. ABBOTT. The former was disqualified by reason of the Fourteenth Amendment. This *was well known by all who voted for him*, and yet they deliberately and defiantly thus voted. Of course then the votes cast for Gov. VANCE went for nothing. He was never legally elected and consequently the surrender of his credentials made no vacancy. This Democratic attempt to violate the Constitution will not be tolerated by the United States Senate.

The editors and orators of the Democracy exhibit a fertile fancy, if not in every case a refined taste, in the selection of epithets to apply to their opponents. This seems to be their principle stock in trade, but it does'nt tend to elevate those who read and hear them.

LET US HAVE MORE TASTE.

That nature designed Eastern Carolina to be an agricultural country there can be no doubt. The character of the land —its surface and quality, and the climate in which it is located demonstrate this. All the elements to make it the most productive, most profitable and most beautiful farming country on the face of the globe are here—all but *good farmers.* These and these only are lacking. The time has come when we must have them.

Instead of the five hundred and one thousand acre farms we ought to have these large bodies of land cut up into one and two hundred acre tracts, each owned and occupied by an industrious and intelligent farmer. This would not only build up, develope and improve the country but would bring us a population that would help us to build School Houses and Churches and Manufactories. And are not all these needed?

This kind of population would do more. It would not only result in making the land more productive but the country would be beautified. With an increasing population of this class would come increasing intelligence. There would be an infusion of a larger element of educated and cultivated men in our rural districts—a class that would exert an influence in devoting attention to the esthetics as well as the profits of farming. And who does not know that this is especially needed here?

Man—the true man—is a creature of taste, and not a mere grub; and whenever we find him neglecting to cultivate and to gratify this element in his nature we find him degrading himself. A stranger, in passing through a country, can form a correct estimate of the intellectual, if not the moral state of the people by simply looking over their farms. The one who allows his buildings and lands to lie in a slovenly state may be set down as a slovenly man with no elevating instincts.

We want to see progress here—the same that is made in far less favored sections. We want to see this not only in having our farms made more productive but also more beautiful. Oh, how all this would improve the general appearance of everything in a country so bountifully blessed by the kind hand of Nature as is ours.

THE "LIBERAL" MOVEMENT.

The sore heads and political "bummers" of Missouri held a Convention at Jefferson City on the 24th ult., at which they issued a call for a National Convention at Cincinnati in May. They dubbed themselves the "liberal Republican party." This movement is causing great rejoicing among the Democracy. They magnify it into an alarming division in our ranks —one threatening disruption and defeat. It neither disturbs nor alarms us. The Democrats are welcome to all the comfort this insignificant little clique, representing nobody, can give them. A large majority of the delegates to this Convention never voted for a Republican candidate—not a man of them ever occupied a prominent position in the party. The gathering at Cincinnati will prove to be a grand fizzle.

The Legislative Commission, appointed to consider the reported inaccuracy in the accounts of the State Printer, report that the Printer had been overpaid, up to last September, $3,338 59.—*Weldon News.*

And this was the immaculate JOSIAH TURNER, Jr.,—the man who so loudly rung the changes on fraud on corruption. Who would have thought HE would have had an itching palm for the peoples money?

H. H. HELPER, Esq., of Salisbury, this State, proposes starting a paper to be called the *North Carolina Tribune.* He possesses force and ability as a writer and will no doubt make a readable paper. He claims that it will be Republican in politics.

The United States Senate Election Committee have decided to give the vacant seat from this State to ex-Senator ABBOTT, on the ground that the votes cast for VANCE were blank and consequently the highest vote was for ABBOTT.

The call of the State Committee for a Republican Convention in Raleigh on the 17th of April will reverberate through the Old North State like the roll of the drum and the bugle's stirring strains at reville. The true men of the State feel the importance of the issues involved in the opening campaign and they will prepare to meet them. Let good men be sent up to the Convention.

The very remarkable valley near the head of the Yellow Stone river is said to surpass Yosemite, both in grandeur and variety of scene. Senator POMEROY has introduced a bill to withdraw it from settlement and set it apart forever as a public park. It embraces a tract about forty miles square.

The St. Paul Press, printed at Gen. Hancock's headquarters, announces that the General declines to be considered a candidate for the Presidency.—*Exchange.*

Our namesake at Raleigh will be obliged to take down the name it has hoisted at its mast head for President. Gen. HANCOCK "can't see it."

After a sickly existence of six months the Williamston *Spectator* has suspended. It is the fourth Democratic paper that has "gone where the wood bine twineth" during the past three months in this State.

Several new Republican papers have appeared in this State. A few more will soon be issued. On the other hand several Democratic papers have suspended. The taste for the latter kind of reading is on the decline.

A contemporary remarks of a brother editor that he "uses the truth with penurious frugality.—*Exchange.*

Wonder if allusion is made to the editor of the Raleigh *Sentinel?*

We shall have a word to say about the Democratic apportionment bill—its injustice, unfairness and unconstitutionality —in a future issue.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has been for some time past engaged in reducing the clerical force in his department, including the offices of Assessors and Collectors, to the lowest practical standard. Economy seems to be the word in all the Departments of the National Government.

A cotemporary calls upon the *Sentinel* to "tell the truth and shamethe devil." We don't know that the devil would be ashamed if the *Sentinel* were to tell the truth, but he would certainly be very much surprised.

New Books, Periodicals, &c.

BRIGGS AND BROTHER'S ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE OF FLOWER AND VEGETABLE SEEDS.—We have just received this splendid Volumn for 1872. It contains one hundred and fifty pages, printed on heavy tinted paper, in the high styles of the printer's art now prevalent. While the printing and the descriptive matter are very fine and peculiarly attractive, it is the profuse and elegant illustrations that enrich the book. The engravings represent flowers, fruits, and vegetables. Some of these are printed in colors, and others are fine specimens of engraving rarely seen. A large sum of money must have been expended for these engravings, and all the engravings are original—made and owned by the proprietors. The make up, engravings, coloring, &c., do not constitute all this book contains. The matter is instructive to all who cultivate flowers and raise vegetables. The instructions as to floral and vegetable gardening are ample to enable those who desire to engage in pleasent and useful pursuits. There is in the book a vast amount of valuable matter nowhere else to be found. But, it will be asked, can Briggs & Bro. afford to make and give away such beautiful books by the hundreds of thousands? Not just that, but the next thing to it. These books are sold at the low price of twenty-five cents each, and at that are the cheapest books ever made. But customers who purchase at this price have the value of the money they pay refunded in seeds, if their order amounts to one dollar's worth or more. That such catalogues can be issued on such terms bespeaks the enterprise and success of the house from which they emenate.

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THE AMERICAN FARMER. The number for Feb'y of this journal is at hand, well-filled with matter for the farm and garden appropriate to the season. Every department of rural life is treated—the staple crops, manuers, live stock, fruit-growing, &c., receiving due attention, whilst unusual care is given to Floriculture, Ornamental Planting, &c. A special feature of the *Farmer* is its able correspondence from men of various sections of the country, distinguished for their devotion to Agriculture. Published at Baltimore, Md., by Samuel Sands & Son, at $1.00 a year, or at $1.00 in clubs of five or more, with liberal premiums for clubs. We commend it to our readers as well worth the subscription price.

The *Eclectic* for February opens with an article on "Church and State in Italy," and a portrait Lord Lisgar, with a mass of excellent material from the foreign periodicals, making a great array of good reading, followed by valuable editorial miscellany compiled from fertile fields of letters and art.

The February number of *Old and New* devotes a large share of its space to WASHINGTON articles—his letters, personal appearance, his military abilities, &c.,—and the number is thus made to commemorate his birthday, which always makes this month notable.

Correspondence.

Town Taxes.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

I notice in the last issue of the NORTH CAROLINIAN, a defense of the Mayor and Constable by a rising young lawyer of this place, that the Constable failed to collect Taxes due the City "because he could find no personal property on which he could levy to make the money." Now does this young disciple of Blackstone mean to tell us, the intelligent citizens of Elizabeth City, that there is not to be found within its corporate limits Fifty Dollars worth of personal property? Does he mean to tell us, that out of the twelve or fifteen hundred dollars due the City for Taxes, that the Constable with a little exertion on his part can not collect easily the little, pitiful sum of fifty dollars? Are there no horses, carts or furniture in this city? Or have all the owners of this species of property paid up their taxes? If the latter, why does the Constable not make some returns, since he was ordered by the Board of Commissioners "that so soon as fifty dollars of the Town taxes were collected he should hand it over to the Treasurer?" Yet he has not done so; then where is it if it has been collected?

Is it not more likely that there is plenty of personal property in the Town but that the Constable has failed to levy upon it?

It is due the Constable that he *himself* should make some explanation of all this. Now we all know him for a good-natured, easy, peaceable man; a man who would dislike to bring trouble on his neighbors, but should an officer allow personal feelings to interfere with his sworn duty?

TAX PAYER.

February 5th, 1872.

The "Hope" Farm.

EDENTON, N. C., Feb. 1st, 1872.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

I feel it to be almost a duty to your readers to call their attention to the "Hope" Farm near Windsor, advertised for sale by the executor of A. W. Mabane, in your paper.

Said farm consists of about 2000 acres, embracing every variety of soil common to this section of country, from sandy high-land to the richest kind of bottom land, thickly set in all the leading kinds of timber from high-land heart pine, through medium growth to large and abundant swamp cypress.

A large portion, at least six or eight hundred acres, is cleared, and in a fair state of farm cultivation, running fairly through the different kinds of soil, and embracing on all sides a fair proportion of the different varieties of timber.

On the farm can be found nearly all the necessary barns, shelters and other buildings, with a splendid mansion of sixteen or eighteen rooms, the equal to which in style, completeness and finish your correspondent has never seen on any other North Carolina farm.

Hoping that this will catch the eye of some Northern capitalist, and induce some wealthy and enterprising man to become the purchaser and make his home in our midst, I am

Yours Truly,
A TRAVELER.

From Hertford.—The Case of Bossuot.

HERTFORD, N .C., Feb. 3d, 1872.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

Frederick Bossuot, who was arrested at Elizabeth City by Deputy Marshal Pratt, upon his supposed resemblance to Thomas Ballard, an escaped counterfeiter from Ludlow St. Jail, New York, was discharged from arrest to-day after a hearing before U. S. Commissioner, Edward C. Albertson. There was no evidence tending to show the identity of the two parties.

Under the circumstances no blame can attach to Officer Pratt; though the sympathy of our community was strongly enlisted in favor of the accused, as all believe that the case is one of innocence under a cloud.

OCCASIONAL.

Our Washington Letter.
No. 9.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3d, 1872.

SOUTHERN REPUBLICANS.

The Southern Republican Association held a grand Sociable last evening at the Masonic Temple. It was perhaps the most brilliant affair of the season. The President, Vice President and numerous Senators and members of the House were present and all seemed to partake freely of the joyous spirit of the occasion.

THE APPORTIONMENT BILL

now goes to the President for his approval. The new law will therefore be promulgated in a day or two, and sent to the various State legislatures so that they can enter on the work of re-districting the States. In the cases where there is a gain of one member on a fraction, he can be elected by the State at large, as is now the fact in Illinois under the old apportionment. In this way it is said that the Republicans will gain three members in the next House. The electoral vote for the next President will be cast on the present basis of 243 members for the House instead of 283, as under the new bill.

THE LATEST DEFALCATION

is that of W. T. Collins, pension agent for this district. It is now undergoing investigation and will amount from $10,000 to $20,000 all of which will be paid by the bondsman of the defaulter who is one of six maimed soldiers who survived a hip joint amputation. The excitement caused by the expose has produced irritation of his wound and he is now quite ill.

The cause of the defaulk is alleged to be losses sustained in the publication of "the Memorial Record" and Grand Army Journal newspaper which has been a losing concern since last April.

THE N. Y. CUSTOM HOUSE

investigation yesterday elicited from E. C. Johnson, formerly in the general order business, that he has offered to buy the business for $60,000 and that the present high prices are owing to large sums which have to be paid to obtain it. He also gave as his opinion that half the Custom House employes had been hired ever since Jackson's Presidency for their ability to cheat at elections and manipulate primaries.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

The Indian Appropriation bill was passed yesterday in the House with the sole change of an additional $15,000 as compensation of the ten Indian Peace Commissioners.

Quite a lively discussion occurred yesterday on the bill proposing to appropriate public lands for national common-school education throughout the States. Democrats opposing and Republicans advocating the measure.

The House Committee on Foreign Affairs heard Secretary Fish and Secretary Boutwell upon that clause of the treaty of Washington relating to the fishery question, and subsequently agreed to report the bill to carry that clause of the treaty into effect, but without recommendation.

Advices from London show that the evidence before the General Board of Arbitrators has given great offence to Englishmen, as it appears to indicate a heavy amount of money due and payable to this country for Alabama losses. Several of the British newspapers advocate the abrogation of the Treaty at all hazards. This is not so good a showing for the opponents of the Washington treaty as they anticipated by their long winded speeches.

A strong attack having been made on the present duty on salt as injurious to consumers, it has been just demonstrated that allowing 40 lbs. of salt to a family, the mean duty will amount to six cents per annum for each family using it to that extent, or about one cent per annum for each individual.

Jas. W. Lock has been confirmed by the Senate as U. S. Judge for the Southern district of Florida, John L. Kitchley as Collector of Sixth, Pa., and Joseph Shepard Collector St. Mary's, Ga.

Wm. M. Tweed has just been elected President of the American Club. He is also about to take his seat in the N. Y. Legislature He has finished negotiations to that end. C. M.

A Query.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

If our Mayor and Constable will divest themselves of the *slightly erroneous* idea that they are infallible, and that no one has a right to critieise their actions, or I should rather say their *sublime inaction* in reference to our city affairs, I will venture without fear of incurring their wrath, to propound a modest question.

How does it happen, if as they claim through *unveritable* "VERITAS' nine-tenths of the white Republicans sustain their course, and condemn "ARGUS" and "VIGIL," that they are reduced to the necessity of employing a *Democratic* lawyer to defend them?

Will Mr. Cobb and Mr. Miskell do us the favor to withdraw their heads from the sheltering coat-skirts of their Quixo-Democratic champion and answer for themselves? Is it because they think the "*nine-tenths*" of the Republicans, "who sustain them," though large in number are small in intellect, and unable to command brains enough to cope with ARGUS and the remaining one-tenth? Or did "VERITAS" get his figures a "*little mixed*" and make a mistake of *eight-tenths* in his statement? If the former supposition is correct, it is sadly to be feared that our Mayor at least (upon whom "VERITAS" and his friends have heretofore delighted to bestow such flattering epithets as "the meanest of Scallawags" and "Belzebub of Leaguers") has a less exalted opinion of Republicans than formerly, and that for the future he intends to change his *tune*, and whistle "Way down South in Dixie" instead of his old favorite "The Star-Spangled Banner."

If, however, the latter conjecture is true, and VERITAS said *nine-tenths* where he should have said *one-tenth*, we leave it to the intelligent public to draw its own inference.

A REPUBLICAN.

Better Late Than Never.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

Joy! joy!! joy!!! Hurrah! hurrah for the Constable!! Hurrah for the City Authorities!!! Here goes the old Market-house down the street! On visiting your town Friday last I observed that the remaining part of the old Market-house was being moved. Its removal has improved the looks of the street considerably. It was properly called a *nuisance* and should have been removed long before. If it had been, it would have saved me considerable annoyance and fright.

When riding down that street, not long since, with a lady friend of mine after night, my horse became frantic and came near sending us both to "kingdom come." It was with no little trouble, I assure you, Mr. Editor, that I made him pass this obstruction. I was so vexed at that moment that, if it were possible, I could have bit everybody's head off in your town and especially the Constable's; and if I had been a "cussin'" man, I would have "cussed" everything "blue." It is natural to suppose that I should make the above exclamation when I saw it was being moved. Yours Truly,

MICKROS.

SALEM, Pasquotank Co., N. C., February 3d, 1872.

The Legislature.

On the 29th ult., in the Senate the time taken up with local bills.——In the House on motion of Sykes the resolution petitioning Congress on the subject of Education in the South, passed on several readings. A number of local bills acted on.

On the 30th ult., in the Senate a large number of bills passed second and third readings. Gen. M. W. Ransom received 32 votes for U. S. Senator,——In the House Gen. Ransom received 69 votes. The bill to enable the Commissioners of Pasquotank County to issue bonds, was, on motion of Mr. Chamberlain, laid upon the table.

On the 31st ult., in the Senate Mr. Maunce from Committee on Public Printing, reported that the Committee had awarded the contract to W. A. Hearne at 60 cents per 1,000 quad ems. Lots of local bills——In the House local bills.

On the 1st inst., in the Senate on motion of Mr. Linney, the rules were suspended and the bill to allow insolvents to take the oath within thirty days, amendatory of the laws of 1868 '9, and the bill to incorporate the Land and Lumber Company of North Carolina and the bill to authorize the election of a town constable in Elizabeth City, passed second and third readings. On motion of Mr. Whiteside, the rules were suspended and the bill to abolish the office of Supreme Court Reporter and for other purposes, was taken up. Provides that the Attorney General shall do the work of reporting. Mr. Speed would not be so radical as to break up everything. It had ever been the custom of the Court to appoint a Reporter. He was opposed to so much nosing after every officer. The bill passed—yeas 18, nays 17.——In the House the Senate bill to apportion the Senatorial Districts being the special order, was taken up.

On the 2d inst., in the Senate Mr Latham introduced a bill to lay off the State, into Congressional Districts; which bill, on his motion, was ordered to be printed and made special order for 12 o'clock, to-morrow.——In the House Local bills.

On the 3d inst., in the Senate a bill to establish a new County by the name of Pamlico out of portions of Craven and Beaufort was passed. Various local bills passed.——In the house a bill to fix the salary of the Governor at $3,600 per annum, to take effect January 1st 1873 was passed. The Senate bill to re-apportion the Senatorial districts was passed.

Congress.

On the 29th ult., in the Senate the Apportionment bill was passed, with two unimportant amendments.——In the House, a bill recoguizing the Cubans as belligerents, was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs. The resolution fixing the day for final adjournment was refered to the Ways and Means Committee, after a long discussion.

On the 30th ult., in the Senate the Amnesty bill was discussed, and made the special order for the 31st, when a vote will be taken.——In the House, the Senate amendments to the Apportionment bill were concurred in.

On the 31st ult., in the Senate the Amnesty bill was again discussed, but without definite action. A bill was introduced establishing a national shipping registry.——In the House, the bill justifying Secretary Boutwell in his negotiations with the Syndicate was debated.

On the 1st inst., in the Senate a bill was introduced establishing a submarine cable between the United States and Asia. The Amnesty bill was discussed, but no vote was reached.——In the House the report indorsing Secretary Boutwell's negotiations with the Syndicate was adopted by a strict party vote. The Senate adjourded until Monday.

[The ice in the Chhaspeake Bay has so delayed our Northern Mails as to make it impossible for us to give any report of the past few days proceedings EDITOR.]

A Bill

To be entitled "An Act to declare the Law of Evidence in certain cases," as follows:

SECTION 4. Provides "That in the trial of all indictments, complaints and other proceedings against persons charged with the commission of crimes or offences, the person so charged shall, at his own request, but not otherwise, be deemed a competent witness; nor shall the neglect or refusal to testify, create any presumption against the defendant."

Mr. George Harris, of the firm of Messrs. Harris & Howell, of Wilmington, has received through Senor D. Manual R. Gargia, Legacion Argentina, Eu Los Estados Unidos, at Wathington, D. C., the appointment of Consular Agent, or Vice Consul, for that government for the port of Wilmington.

National Union Republican Convention.

The undersigned, constituting the National Committee designated by the Convention held at Chicago on the 20th of May, 1868, hereby call a convention of the Union Republican party at the city of Philadelphia, on Wednesday, the 5th day of June next, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices of President and Vice President of the United States.

Each State is authorized to be represented in the Convention by delegates equal to twice the number of Senators and Representatives to which it will be entitled in the next National Congress, and each organized Territory is authorized to send two delegates.

In calling this Convention, the Committee remind the country that the promises of the Union Republican Convention of 1868 have been fulfilled. The States lately in rebellion have been restored to their former relations to the Government. The laws of the country have been faithfully executed, public faith has been preserved, and the national credit firmly established. Governmental economy has been illustrated by the reduction, at the same time, of the public debt and of taxation; and the funding of the national debt at a lower rate of interest has been successfully inaugurated. The rights of naturalized citizens have been protected by treaties, and immigration encouraged by liberal provisions. The defenders of the Union have been gratefully remembered, and the rights and interests of labor recognized. Laws have been enacted, and are being enforced, for the protection of persons and property in all sections. Equal suffrage has been engrafted on the National Constitution; the privileges and immunities of American citizenship have become a part of the organic law, and a liberal policy has been adopted toward all who engaged in the rebellion. Complications in foreign relations have been adjusted in the interest of peace throughout the world, while the national honor has been maintained. Corruption has been exposed, offenders punished, responsibility enforced, safeguards established, and now, as heretofore, the Republican party stands pledged to correct all abuses and carry out all reforms necessary to maintain the purity and efficiency of the public service. To continue and firmly establish its fundamental principles, we invite the co-operation of all the citizens of the United States.

WILLIAM CLAFLIN, of Mass., Chairman.
WILLIAM E. CHANDLER, of N. H., Secretary.

John A. Peters, Maine.	Thos. W. Orborn, Fla.
Luke P. Poland, Vt.	T. C. Carpenter, S. C.
L. B. Frieze, R. I.	John H. Caldwell, Ga.
H. H. Starkweather, Ct.	James P. Stow, Ala.
James Gopsill, E. J.	M. H. Southworth, La.
Wm. H. Kembell, Pa.	A. C. Fisk, Miss.
H. M. Jenkins, Del.	S. C. Pomeroy, Kan.
B. R. Cowen, Ohio.	B. F. Rice, Arkansas.
John Coburn, Indiana.	John B. Clark, Mo.
C. B. Farwell, Illinois.	A. A. Burton, Ky.
Zach Chandler, Mich.	Horace Maynard, Tenn.
J. T. Averill, Minn.	E. B. Taylor, Nebraska.
David Atwood, Wis.	James W. Nye, Nev.
Geo. W. McCrary, Iowa.	H. W. Corbett, Oregon.
C. C. Fulton, Mo.	Geo. C. Gorham, Cal.
Frank Stearns, Va.	John B. Chafee, Col.
Jno. R. Hubbard, W. Va.	W. A. Burleigh, Da.
William Sloan, N. C.	Sayles J. Bowen, D. C.

Congressional Apportionment.

After several ineffectual attempts in the Senate to amend the Apportionment bill, that body has passed it as it came from the House, with a single modification. This provides that should any State after the passage of the act deny or abridge the right of any of its male citizens to vote at any election named in the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution, except for participation in the Rebellion or other crime, the number of its representatives shall be proportionately reduced. The House having concurred in this amendment, the bill goes to the President with the apportionment of the House fixed at 283 members, divided as follows:

Alabama	7	Missouri	13
Arkansas	4	Nebraska	1
California	4	Nevada	1
Connecticut	4	New-Hampshire	2
Delaware	1	New-Jersey	7
Florica	1	New-York	32
Georgia	9	North Carolina	8
Illinois	19	Ohio	20
Indiana	12	Oregon	1
Iowa	9	Pennsylvania	26
Kansas	3	Rhode Island	2
Kentucky	10	South Carolina	5
Louisiana	5	Tennessee	9
Maine	5	Texas	6
Maryland	6	Vermont	2
Massachusetts	11	Virginia	9
Michigan	9	West Virginia	3
Minnesota	3	Wisconsin	8
Mississippi	6		

The Apportionment Bill.

No more outrages and unconstitutional bill was ever reported to a legislative body than that now pending for the re-apportionment of the Senatorial representation of this State. Twenty Districts with 23 Senators, have *seventy-five thousand* more population than twenty other Districts with 27 Senators. No regard is paid to contiguity or compactness of territory, when the Constitution requires that regard shall be had thereto as far as may be. Counties are grouped together in utter violation of these constitutional rules, for the sole purpose of enabling the Democrats to elect a much larger number of Senators than their fair proportion, according to the respective number of voters in each party. Let the Democrats in the Legislature pass the bill if they choose—they have the power to do so. The whole matter shall be fully ventilated before the people during the campaign. The people will never sanction such outrageously, unjust and unconstitutional legislation for mere party purposes, as the Democrats will find out in August. We have heard one Democratic Senator speak of the bill as being not only outrageous, but *infamous.* And such will be the verdict of all honest men,—*Era.*

On Sunday morning about 7 o'clock smoke was seen issuing from the engine room of the steamer Elizabeth City, one of the line of steamboats plying between this city and Elizabeth City, North Carolina. The hands set busily to work to extinguish the fire; but, fearing that they would be unable to do so, gave the alarm, which was promptly responded to by the fire department. Before the arrival of the engines, however, the fire had been subdued. The damage was very slight. The captain thinks the fire was of incendiary origin, as pieces of scorched rags saturated with kerosene oil were found in the engine room.—*Norfolk Journal.*

The first appearance of John Sherman and Schuyler Colfax upon the political stage was, it seems at the Philidelphia Convention that nominated Gen. Taylor. Sherman was recommended Secretary of the Convention by an Ohio delegate, who humorously added that if elected to that position it would be in all probability the only office the young gentleman would ever hold, as he came from a hopelessly Democratic district. Shortly after an Indiana delegate nominated another Secretary and made a similar speech concerning him, and he was chosen, and Schuyler Colfax and John Sherman met each other and shook hands for the first time at the Secretary's desk.

The Japanese embassy arrived at Salt Lake City on the 3d. The snow has so blockaded railroad travel that they are delayed in their travel East.

An expedition is preparing in London for the relief of Dr. Livingston.

The Germans have prohibited the sale of French newspapers in Strasbourg.

Baron von Offenburg has been officially announced as M. Catcazy's successor at Washington.

During the Wharton trial 66 witnesses were summoned and 56 sworn, the cost of the trial being about $15,000.

Ex-Attorney-Gen. Akerman when he returns to his Georgia home will get rest and quite from politics. It takes a week to reach his house from the nearest railroad or telegraph station.

The Greensboro' *Patriot* learns that one of the prisoners confined in the jail at Lexington set fire to that institution on last Tuesday night, and that it was entirely consumed. The prisoners, of whom there were several, were rescued and conveyed to Salisbury for safe keeping.

William Tweed has been sent to prison at buffalo for stealing a ride on a railroad. If it had been the original Tweed he would have stolen the railroad and gone throught the prison like a buffalo hull through a cobweb.

On the 1st inst., at Louisville Ky. George Harper, a colored lawyer, made the first speech in court making a favorable impression. Colored witnesses were also admitted in the case, which was that of a white man charged with rape.

On the 1st inst at Baltimore Henry C. Comegy, agent of Jay Cooke & Co.'s National Life Insurance company of this city, Dr. S. Leroy Swarnistead, and James A. Ludwig, a dentist, were arrested by Smith, Pierson, and West, detectives, as parties who have been passing raised checks on different banks throughout the country. They were identified by bank officers.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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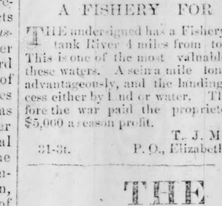

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NOTICE!

In returning our thanks to our numerous patrons for their very liberal patronage, we would respectfully call the attention of some few of our friends to the fact, that their little amounts would be gladly received. We think it only necessary to do this to insure your calling and *settling up your accounts.*

Respectfully,
DR. D. T. KREBS & CO.

P. S. Remember that short settlements make long friends.
Elizabeth City, N. C., Feb. 8th—3t.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE—
Estate of John Newsom.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of John Newsom of Hertford county, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

C. JORDAN Assignee.
32-3t. Sunsbury, N. C.

A LARGE PLANTATION AT PUBLIC SALE.

BY virtue of an arrangement with the mortgage Trustee, I shall sell in front of the Court-house door in Windsor, Bertie Co., on Thursday the 5th day of March next *That valuable farm and tract of land, known by the name of "Hope"* about four miles from Windsor consisting of 2,000 acres, more or less, belonging to the estate of A. W. Mebane dec'd.

This is a rare opportunity for any one seeking a profitable investment. Terms: $2500.00 will be required in Cash; the balance can be arranged in small notes ($200 or less) on a credit of six months, interest from date, payable at Exchange Nat. Bank, Norfolk, Va. Title retained till all the purchase money shall have been paid. Any one wishing to examine the premises will please apply to me.

WILLIAM E. BOND,
Executor of A. W. Mebane, dec'd,
Elienton, N. C. Feb. 1st, 1872-4t.

A FISHERY FOR RENT.

THE undersigned has a Fishery on Pasquotank River 4 miles from town for lease. This is one of the most valuable fisheries in these waters. A seine a mile long can be used advantageously, and the landings easy of access either by Land or water. This Fishery before the war paid the proprietors from 2 to $5,000 a season profit.

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ARE JUST OPENING A LARGE AND COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF HOSIERY AND WHITE GOODS, CLOTHING FOR MEN AND BOYS, TENTS.
Fresh from the New York Markets, at prices lower than have been reached before in this Market.
All the New and Fashionable Goods constantly kept on Hand.
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NORTH CAROLINIAN.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1872.

☞ TO NORTHERN VISITORS.☜

Elizabeth City is 50 miles South East of Norfolk, Va. Parties coming here from the North should take passage on the Bay line Steamers which leave Baltimore at 4 P. M. every evening, and arrive at Portsmouth the next morning in time to connect with the Elizabeth City Steamers, daily.

THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

We call attention to the following new advertisements in this issue:

Providence Tool Co's Reliance Wringer.
Elliott and White.
Notice of Dr. D. T. Krebs.
Advertised Letters.

Local and Personal.

☞ J. K. H. of West Chester, Pa., will accept our thanks for interesting papers.

☞ Wanted—a lively correspondent from each county in the District. Let us have every item of news.

☞ The excellent communication of our lady correspondent "T" will appear next week.

☞ We are pained to learn of the serious illness of our young townsman R. H. Leigh.

☞ Our Murfresboro friend will accept our thanks for his remittance as well as the new subscribers sent us. Let the good work go on.

☞ The communications of "Critic" and "Inquirer" are rejected. They are too personal. The CAROLINIAN cannot be used for any such purpose.

☞ Our Devil says that he don't believe that "boys will be boys." He says it is all nonsense. He is determined to *be a man*—if he lives long enough!

☞ The fine weather of the past few days has been taken advantage of by our farmers in getting in their peas and potatoes, and in preparing the ground for corn.

☞ Promises to pay don't meet the expenses of this office. Will those who have been putting us off with fair and *expected* promises take notice. Forbearance will soon cease to be a virtue.

☞ We learn that Mr. YOUNG, of Sunbury, Pa., has purchased a property in Currituck. Several Northern families have purchased in that county. There is some most excellent farming land over there.

☞ Moved at last—the old Market House. In defiance of ordinances, and hints, and threats it stood for weeks on Water Street and then for *months* on Main. But last week, after a desperate effort, it was slowly rolled away. Let us be thankful!

☞ To the sanctimonious correspondent who goes out of his way—was it for a purpose?—in writing us on business to say: "Religion is the best armor a man can have," we return the reply; yes, but it is the worst *cloak*. How often are we reminded of the ancient Pharisee.

☞ "Thoughts pent up want air, and spoil like bales unopened to the sun." Those of our readers who are troubled with "ideas" which they think will interest or benefit the public, are invited to forward them for "ventilation" through our columns. All we ask is that they be brief, pointed and practical.

☞ It is an old adage that "the proof of the pudding is the eating of it." Our present application of this trite old saw is: The evidence of the value of the NORTH CAROLINIAN as an *advertising* medium is to be found in the number and character of the advertisers who occupy its pages. On many occasions we have had assurance from business men that they had found our paper one of the very best mediums for making their announcements.

☞ We have no quarrel with any man because happens to differ with us in politics. Not all. Hundreds and thousands who do so are just as honest in their convictions as we are. We believe this and we accord it to them. We ever hope to remain clear of the intolerant and proscriptive spirit that would bind others upon the Procrustean bed of preconceived opinion. The liberty of conscience and freedom of thought we claim for ourself we cheerfully grant to all mankind. Is our Columbia correspondent answered?

☞ In consequence of impaired health the pastor of the Methodist Church has temporarily suspended preaching at night. Mr. LAMBETH is a rare preacher. He has force without pretension, logic without pedantry, and that eloquence which thrills the hearer. He has the happy faculty of blending worldly sense with his religious teaching from the pulpit. He loves Nature, and sees God in the way-side flower, in the grand mountain, in the whispering rivulet, in the surging ocean, in the music of the winds, in the wrath of the volcano. His sermons are always instructive as well as practical. We sincerely hope he will soon be restored to his wonted health.

☞ On questioning the County Examiner the other day in relation to the condition and prospects of our Public Schools we were surprised, nay *pained* to learn that some of them have not been opened at all, while those that are will probably not continue in operation over two months, all told! And all for the lack of means to pay the teachers. And here the questions recur to us: Is the case so desperate—the poverty of the people so great as to justify defeating the operation of a legally enacted and constitutional law? Are our common schools a necessity or a luxury? This question is answered when we remember that *education to the rising generation is one of the prime necessaries of life in a republican government.* Better that the physical wants of our children be somewhat curtailed than that their moral and intellectual natures should not receive their appropriate food.

☞ By the missives we see posted up at Mr. GREEN'S door, gotten up in all kinds of styles—grave, gay, sorrowful and ridiculous—we are reminded that Valentines day is near at hand.

☞ Among the Northern arrivals since our last, we notice F. D. BUNNELL, Wilkes Barre, Pa., E. H. LAMB, New-York, and T. VAN GILDER, Cape May, N. J.

☞ There are a few young men—some of them old boys—who loaf around the streets, with no visible means of support, except what they get from indulgent parents. It seems a shame to bring these youth up in idleness, when, with different habits, they would lay the foundation for usefulness in mature years. Young men! take off your coats and roll up your sleeves. There is plenty to do at all times, which, if you would only make the effort, would assist you in becoming men, both in mind and body. Nothing can be accomplished in this world without working for it.

☞ "A Mother" asks whether Candy is injurious and deleterious to girls? At the risk of making ourself unpopular among those of our young lady readers who have "sweet teeth" in their mouths we must be candid and answer *yes*. A candy shop is almost unknown in London and a sickly or dyspeptic girl is an anomally there. In this country our girls are allowed to spend dollars upon poisonously dyed and flavored sweets where they ought scarcely to spend pennies. These, with hot soda bread and greasy pastry, so weaken and destroy the tone of the stomach and impair the digestive organs that nine tenths of American girls are never well. Candy, though sweet to the taste, is ruinous to the stomach.

LOCAL POET-FOLIO.

Getting active—some of the local politicians. Always right to take one in—when it rains. Laughable—to hear the chap "cussin" the editor who wouldn't do his printing for nothing. Breeches of trust—pantaloons on credit. Grows bigger the more you contract it—debt. A welcome ship at any time—friendship. Wanted—a cap to fit the head of the class. Still down—the price of corn. Vastly improved—the appearance of Sheppards Street. The place to get neat job work done—at this office. Being delivered on the ground—the material for the new Hotel.

Business Locals.

WANTED.—Two good, smart boys, who can come well recommended, to learn the tinning trade. Apply at the Land & Lumber Company's Store, Elizabeth City, N. C.

February 1st, 1872.—32-4t.

The celebrated Smith and Cerlett cold Water Soap for washing purposes just received at Shannon's Provision Depot.

For Fruit, Raisins, Oranges, Lemons and all kinds of Confectionaries go to Fulmer's on Water Street.

Dr. D. T. KREBS offers his professional services to the citizens of Elizabeth City. He will pay special attention to Surgical and Chronic cases. Private office over the Gun Store of Geo. W. Bell, two doors south of the Drug Emporium, Road St. 33-2t.

20 boxes Smith, Cerlett, Fouler & Co.'s Perfumed Washing Soap in store and for sale low by, W. O. Shannon's. 33—2t

WANTED—A Farm near—or Property in Elizabeth City, in exchange for a Farm in Delaware, 12 miles from the Capitol. For address, apply at this office. 32-2t.

Ho! ye who are hungry go to Fulmer's Eating Saloon and try those delicious Oysters in any style you wish.

Shannon at his Provision Depot keeps the best stock of Family Groceries in the City beyond the cavil of a doubt.

To my friends and acquaintances and all whom it may concern.

I am anxious to relate, what I chance to learn, During my stay in Norfolk, the City by the Sea, In purcuasing Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots, Shoes and Groceries.

The first day of course, I spent in looking around To see all the sights and find where bargains could be found.

And to my great surprise, I soon was convinced, That Lowenberg & Jacobs sold the cheapest and best style of Prints.

And when I examined their large Stock of Goods, Consisting of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes and Boots,

Hats, Notious Fancy Goods and Caps, Umbrellas, Trunks, Bags and Valises with Straps.

I was pleased and satisfied beyond a doubt That 'tis useless to go to Noafolk and run about, But just go to Jacobs, who hails from Nag's Head,

He'll sell you Goods cheaper than any body else I'll bet.

And whatever that firm tells you, you can believe with truth,

As they are not men, who do business loose 33—2t. A MERCANT.

Another nice lot of that choice Gilt Edge Butter just received at Shannon's Provision Depot. 33—2t.

An ice bridge was formed across the St. Lawrence at Ogdensburg, which has happened but twice during the present century.

MARRIAGES.

HOOD—BRADSHAW.—On January the 29th 1872, by S. J. Halstead Esq., BARTLET F. HOOD to JOSEPHENE BRADHAW.

DEATTHS.

LUTON—At Simond's Creek, this county, on Thursday last JANE W., wife of John Luton. Aged about 38 years.

Advertised Letters.

At Elizabeth City for the month of February 1872.

James Brown, Rebecca Beeman, John Butler, James Bright' John Chock, Mr. William Davis, Louisa Dunston, Mrs. Harriet Davis, Emma Everett, Mr. George Emerick, George Fox, Rev. James L. Fisher, Mr. Cullen Hayley, Miss B. D. Hanmer, Mrs. Mary J. Hollowell, Mrs. Jane Jacox, Mr. Hicks Jennings, Mrs. Fannie Lumsden, Mrs. M. E. Murchison, Mr. John E. Mose, W. C. Mibray, Miss Margaret Meads, Mrs. Nancy Mekithen, Mr. Henry C. Morrisett, Lucinda Mullen, Julian McMurrion, Wm. S. McDowell, Wm. S. McDowell, Mr. R. Overton, Ed. S. Pigott, Mrs. Ann Quinlan, Capt. Charles D. Rodgers, Mr. Moses Sarer, Mr. John Darmon Sawyer, Jno. Thornton, Miss Jane Tompkins, Mr. John Thornton Esq., Alfred Taylor (col.), Miss Louisa Venning, Rosan Winslow, Mr. David B. White, Miles Williams, W. C. Young.

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Elizabeth City Prices Current.

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Bacon—Clear side ₱ lb.		12
" Rib side		10
" Shoulder		10
" Hams, country	13 @	14
" " sugar cured	16 @	18
Butter—Country	20 @	25
" N.Y. State	40 @	45
Beeswax—₱ lb.	25 @	30
Beans—White Navy,		1,75
Corn—new ₱ bu.		55
Cheese—₱ lb		20
Cotton yarn—₱ bunch		65
" in seed, ₱ lb.		15
" in bale,		17
" in bbl,	14c @	16
Eggs—₱ doz.		20
Flour—Super ₱ bbl	6,00 @	7,00
" Extra	7,00 @	8,00
" Family	8,50 @	9,50
Herring—₱ bbl		7,00
Hay—old—₱ bu	150 @	155
Lard—₱ lb		15
Lumber—Heart pine ₱ 1000ft	12,50 @	20,00
" Cypress "	18,00 @	20,00
" Sap "	8,00 @	10,00
" Lath "		2,50
Meal—₱ bu., 50 lbs		85
Oats, new—₱ bu.		80
Peas—Black ₱ bu		1,00
Black Eyed Peas	10 @	10
Pork—Mess		200
Potatoes—Irish ₱ bu.		60
" Sweet ₱ bu.		50,00 to 60,00
Rails—Juniper ₱ 1000		4,50 to 5,50
Shingles—18 inch, heart		6,00 to 7,50
" 12 " "		4,50 @ 5,00
" " sap		2,00 @ 2,50
" W. I.		1,85
Salt—₱ sack, 3 bu.		75
Salt—₱ L. per bu.		10 @ 15
Tallow—₱ lb.		1,75 to 2,50
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AGRICULTURAL, HORTICULTURAL AND DOMESTIC MATTERS.

The Uses of Ammonia.

Ammonia, or as it is generally called, spirits of hortshorn, is a powerful alkali, and dissolves grease and dirt with great ease. It has lately been recommended very highly for domestic purposes. For washing paint, put a table-spoonful in a quart of moderately hot water, dip in a flannel cloth and with this simply wipe off the wood work; no scrubbing will be necessary. For taking grease spots from any fabric use the ammonia nearly pure, then lay white blotting-paper over the spot, and iron it lightly. In washing laces, put about twelve drops in a pint of warm suds. To clean silver, mix two teaspoonfuls of ammonia in a quart of hot suds. Put in your silverware and wash it, using an old nail brush or tooth brush for the purpose. For cleaning hair brushes, etc., simply shake the brushes up and down in a mixture of one teaspoonful of ammonia to one pint of hot water; when they are cleansed, rinse them in cold water, and stand them in the wind or in a hot place to dry. For washing finger marks from looking-glasses and windows, put a few drops of ammonia on a moist rag, and make quick work of it. If you wish your house plants to flourish, put a few drops of the spirits in every pint of water used in watering. A teaspoonful will add much to the refreshing effects of a bath. Nothing is better than ammonia water for cleansing the hair. In every case rinse off the ammonia with clear water. To which we would only add, that, for removing grease spots, a mixture of equal parts of ammonia and alcohol in better than alcohol alone; and for taking out the red stains produced by the strong acids in blue and black cloths, there is nothing better than ammonia.—*Technologist.*

Intelligence of Cows.

The London *Milk Journal* says:—"That cows have memory, language, signs, and the means of enjoying pleasant association, combining for aggressive purposes has been recognized, but scarcely to the extent the subject merits. Traveling in Italy many years ago, we visited some of the dairy farms in the neighborhood of Ferrara. Interspersed among much of the low-lying, unhealthy land, remarkable for the prevalence on it of very fatal forms of anthrax in the summer season, are fine undulating pasture lands, and the fields are of great extent. We happened to stop at a farm house one fine autumn afternoon when the cows were about to be milked. A herd of over one hundred was grazing homewards. The women took their positions with stool and pail close to the house, and as the cows approached, names were called out which, at first, were, we thought, addressed to the milkmaids. Rosa, Florenza, Giulia, Sposa and many names, which were noted by us at the time, by the overseer, or one of the women, and we were astonished to see cow after cow cease feeding or chewing the cud, and make direct, sometimes at a trot, for the woman that usually milked her."

Waste Paper.

Few housekeepers are aware of the many uses to which waste paper may be used. After a stove has been blackened, it may be kept looking very well for a long time by rubbing with paper every morning. Rubbing with paper is a much nicer way of keeping the outsides of a tea kettle, coffee pot, and tea pot bright and clean, than the old way of washing them in suds. Rubbing with paper is also the best way of polishing knives and tin ware, after scouring. This saves wetting knife handles. If a little flour be held on the paper, in rubbing tin ware and spoons, they shine like new silver For polishing mirrors, windows, lamp chimneys, etc., paper is better than dry cloth. Preserves and pickles keep much better if brown paper instead of cloth is tied over the jar. Paper is much better to put under a carpet than straw. It is warmer, thinner, and makes less noise when one walks over it. Two thicknesses of paper placed between other covering on a bed, are as warm as a quilt.

Future of Corn Harvesting.

A writer in the *Agriculturist* says: "I believe corn will yet be harvested as we harvest wheat—cut with a reaper, bound into bundles of a convenient size for pitching, and then thrashed or husked by a big machine, driven by ten horses or a steam-engine. It must be powerful enough to take in a bundle at a time, strip off the ears and husk them, and the stalks, as they pass through, can be cut up and elevated by a straw-carrier. I believe in less than ten years we shall see hundreds of such machines travelling from farm to farm as thrashing-machines now do, and we shall wonder how we ever got along without them."

In-Growing Nails.

Some people are much troubled with the edges of the nail of a toe cutting into the flesh. The cause is, pressure on the nail, which is strong and round, so that the edges are driven directly downwards. Take a bit of broken window-glass, and scrape the arch of the nail till it is so thin and weak that it cannot resist the pressure, and, as a natural consequence, it will flatten and become wider.

Good Wash for the Teeth.

Dissolve two ounces of borax in three pints of boiling water, and before it is cold add one teaspoonful of spirits of camphor, and bottle for use. A teaspoonful of this mixture, mixed with an equal quantity of tepid water, and applied daily with a soft brush, preserves and beautifies the teeth, extirpates all tartarous adhesion' arrests decay, induces a healthy action of the gums' and makes them look pearly white.

MR. EMERSON'S FARM.—When I bought my farm I did not know what a bargain I had in the blue bird, the bobolink, and the thrushes which were not charged in the bill. As little did I think of what sublime mornings and sunsets I was buying—what riches of fields and lanes for a tramp—what an indispensable river is our Indian river, which runs parallel with the village street, and to which every house has a back door opening to a garden which runs down to its banks—where a skiff in summer gives you miles of picturesque beauty, and ice in winter for the skater.

From present indications we may reasonably expect, at no distant period, to see agriculture, from the perfection of its processes, enabled to assume that high position among the industrial arts which is justly claimed for it on the ground of its pre-eminence as a means of national prosperity.

Agriculture has been called the mother of art, but, in point of real development, it has not as yet passed the stage of infancy. For a long time stationary, if not retrograde, it is but quite recently that a fair start has been gained it the way of progress.

The farmer is constantly surrounded by a miracle of his own "raising"—converting foul manure into grain.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE.

OF VALUABLE

NORTH CAROLINA LANDS,

FOR SALE BY

GEORGE D. POOL.

Real Estate Agent,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

In presenting my list of lands and other properties for sale, I would say that no section of the United States offers such inducements for capitalists and emigrants, as this section of North Carolina. In longevity and healthfulness, it will compare favorably with any where; and in easy and cheap transportation of products to market, in pleasantness of climate, in the sociability of the people, in great fertility, and durability of soil, no section can equal it.

A railroad will soon be built to Weldon, putting this place in direct communication by Rail, with the whole United States. This, together with our great fishing, farming and manufacturing interests, and certain early completion of already projected works of improvement for putting in nearer, cheaper and easier communication with the Ocean, will render this one of the most important commercial, and manufacturing points on the Southern country.

A Steam Saw and Grist Mill in the town of Nixonton 8 miles from E. City. This Mill has a fine wharf and store attached on deep navigable water, the engine is 40 horse power, a dull in good order. It is one of the finest locations to be found any where for custom work, and for getting good saw logs easily and cheaply. Price $4,000 cash.

Adjoining the mill property is 40 acres of fine land on the River, with three houses, all for $1200. Near the same is a good two story dwelling and 13 acres of land for $2,000, and a good one story dwelling, with one acre of land for $300.

Also two fine farms in Pasquotank county, 10 miles from E. City, within half mile of church, school house and post office. One tract contains about 400 acres, with fair buildings and mostly cleared, and the other contains 300 acres, with good two story dwelling, large barn, and other outhouses, both are offered at $20 per acre, one third cash, balance in one and two years.

Also one other tract in Pasquotank county, containing 116 acres, within one mile of the town with fine buildings, mostly cleared and in cultivation. Price $25 per acre, one half cash, balance in 12 months.

A valuable site for a hotel at Nag's Head, 40 miles from Elizabeth City, and 50 miles from Edenton. This is situated immediately on the Ocean, and is a famous Summer resort for invalids, and those seeking health, comfort, and amusements during the summer months. It is in direct communication by steamboats and railroad with all parts of North Carolina, Virginia, and the North; and is equal in natural advantages to Newport, or Cape May. Visitors flock to this famous summer resort by hundreds and thousands, and a large amount of money can be made by a hotel. A charter has been obtained from the Legislature of N. C., for a joint stock company to build the hotel. There is now an old hotel on the spot, which could be cheaply repaired and bought for $3,000. This hotel, though imperfectly kept, cleared the proprietor last season, over $8,000. For a man or a company, having some capital, this is one of the finest chances to make money at hotel keeping to be found anywhere. The early attention of the public is invited to this property.

A fine steam saw and grist mill at Hertford, the county seat of Perquimans County, N. C., 18 miles from Elizabeth City. This mill has a fifty horse power engine, now in good running, two pairs of best French burr stones, and two upright saws. The house has a brick basement, and the building is large and in good order. There is one and a half acres of land belonging to this property, and a good two story dwelling, and other outbuildings. The section of country adjacent abounds in the finest yellow pine, cypress, ash, poplar, and other valuable timber. This property originally cost $15,000, and is now offered at forced sale for the low price of $3,500, $7,00, cash, and the balance in six equal instalments, six months apart each with interest.

A fine farm and fishery in same county. The farm contains 300 acres of the finest land, lies immediately on Albemarle Sound where the water is 12 miles wide, and 18 to 20 feet deep. It is got buildings, and in neighborhood. The fishery is on the farm and goes with it. It has a new seine 2,500 yards long, and all the necessary boats, buildings, &c., (which cost over $15,000 two years ago.) The fishery alone, of a good season, will make from 5 to $10,000 profit to the owner. This property is offered at forced sale for the low price of $20,000, $7,000 cash, balance on easy times.

A store at South Mills, in Camden county, 20 miles from E. City, and 20 miles from Norfolk, lying on the canal where steamers pass daily. A fine chance for merchandize. Store is large with dwelling above containing six rooms, is in first rate order, has office, kitchen, dairy, and other necessary outhouses. Goods to the amt. of $50,000 per annum can be sold here, and at large profits. A splended stand for a country retail store. Price $2,500—one third cash, balance in one and two years.

A valuable tract of land in Camden county, at South Mills, on the Dismal Swamp Canal, lying on the canal for two miles, containing over 900 acres of land—two-thirds cleared, and in a fine state of cultivation, with good buildings, &c.; balance in valuable timber. Price $12,000, one-third cash, balance in one and two years, interest from January, 1871. This is a valuable farm for corn, wheat, and vegetables, and being midway between Elizabeth City and Norfolk, and located where steamers pass by the door daily, is a desirable and cheap property.

A fine farm of 600 acres within six miles of E. City, one mile from navigable water, and the best cotton farm in the State. It is also well adapted to raising corn and wheat. This farm has a splended two-story dwelling upon it, large barn, 40 by 60 feet, a large number of outhouses, by splended trees and shrubbery. It is in a strong Union neighborhood, and altogether the most desirable place in the county. A little over one-half of this land is cleared, and the balance is covered with the finest yellow pine, poplar, ash and other timber. Price $30 per acre—one-third cash, balance in one and two years with interest. Title reserved.

Sixteen houses and lots in Elizabeth City, with good dwellings, out-houses, &c. Prices and terms reasonable.

A valuable farm in Perquimans county, N. C. near navigable water. Has a fine dwelling-house with ten rooms, in splended order, with splended barns and stables—all in first rate order. The farm is very productive in corn, oats, wheat, cotton and clover. It is one of the finest farms in the State and is now in good cultivation, contains 555 acres of land, about three-fourths cleared and under cultivation. Price $10,000, one-third cash January 1, next balance in two equal annual instalments with interest at the rate of six per cent.

A farm of 370 acres 8 miles from town by water, and 12 miles by land, is offered for sale for $10,000 in easy payments. This tract of land lies immediately on the River which is 4 miles wide and washes the farm its whole length on one side, and a branch of the River one mile wide, bind it on one end. The land is well adapted to raising corn, wheat, cotton, oats, peas, &c., lies high and dry, and is unexceptible of the highest improvement. Fronting and looking over, as it does, two large sheets of navigable water, where steamers and sailing vessels are constantly passing, carrying freight and passengers to all parts of the country, its location and surroundings, are of the most fascinating and desirable character. There is a fishery on it ready for working a seine 2,500 yards long, and which commands a portion of both streams of water, and can be made immensely profitable. The price charged is low, and the purchase a very desirable one. The buildings consist of a good two-story dwelling and out-houses.

A tract of valuable land, containing 356 acres, with fine two story dwelling containing 9 rooms and cook-room. Servant's house with 3 rooms, large barns and stables, all necessary and convenient out-houses, 3 tenant-houses near town, and immediately on the River. About 100 acres of this land is in fine wood and timber, balance in a fine state of cultivation. It has 8,000 grape vines one year old, 3,500 peach, apple and dwarf pear trees, five acres in strawberries which yielded an immence profit this year, ten acres in Lawton and other rare varieties of black-berries, 15 to 20,000 young peach trees with other choice fruits too numerous to mention. This farm has a public road on one side, and the River on the other, where strangers come daily to the landings to receive the fruits and vegetables, and carry them down to Norfolk, Baltimore, Phila., or New York. The land is finely adapted to raising corn, wheat, cotton, oats, and all other field crops.

The owner of this farm offers to sell in tracts, to suit purchasers, say in 50 to 100 acre tracts, and at prices ranging from 35 to $80 per acre, according to location, buildings, &c.

There is also on this farm a fine fishery, where a seine 1,000 yards long, and 20 feet deep is hauled every Spring. Herring, Shad, Rock-fish, Sturgeon and other valuable fish, are caught by thousands at every draw of the seine. And the profits are frequently large. This fishery of itself is worth nearly as much as is charged for the whole property. The terms will be liberal. This is probably the finest opportunity offered any where for a profitable advestment.

☞ Fishery has an office, and two houses for hands besides fish house. Then some 500 to 1,000 loads of best fish manure on hand, besides over 5,000 loads of compost made ready for use. This goes with the farm.

A desirable house and lot in the town of Elizabeth City on the corner of two principal streets, the principal one, and situated in the best business locality in the town. The lot contains about two acres of land, and the buildings consist of a fair dwelling three stories high, containing eight rooms, all in good order, another two story building with four rooms and pantries, dairy, smokehouses, stables, &c. The dwelling has a good cellar under it. There is room on the front lot to erect two good stores, and they would occupy the best stand in the town for merchandize.

For further particulars, enquire of

GEO. D. POOL,
Agent.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Mar. 9, 1871.

TO SPORTSMEN.—

The ubscriber would announce to his friends and the public that he continues at the old stand on Road street and keeps on hand a good assortment of Guns, Rifles, Pistols, Sporting apparatus and also a fine selection of cutlery. He may at all times be found either in his store prepared to accommodate customers with New Goods, or in his shop adjoining, willing and happy to repair any article in his line of business.

29—1y. GEO. W. BELL.

HAVING SECURED THE SERVICES OF THE best mechanics in each of the departments, and giving my own particular attention to all work done at my shop, I feel safe in saying that my work will compare favorably with that of any of the large cities. All I ask is an examination of my work to convince those in want of any kind of a vehicle that this is the place to buy them.

Repairing done at short notice and at reasonable rates. Give me a call.

JNO. S. WAUGH.

Elizabeth City, Nov. 25, 1869.-tf.

THOMAS PARR

CABINET MAKER AND UNDERTAKER,

most respectfully informs his customers, friends and the public generally, that he has removed to *E. City, N. C.* and comenced his old business as Cabinet maker and Undertaker.

He is now prepaired to furnish *Metalic* and wood coffins of the latest improved kind and best quality, as cheapas they can be purchased in this market.

His *Hearse*, will be ready at all times to serve his customers at any distance within thirty miles, upon the same terms and same prices as within this immediate vicinity.

He is prepared to repair furniture of every kind and quality, and furnish new furniture on as reasonable terms as any one in this section.

It will be to the interest of those who may desire any article in his line of business to give him a call at his ware-room on Road Street near C. B. Brother's Livery Stables.

E. City, N. C., July 20, 1871.

SOUTHERN CLAIMS

AGAINST

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.

Loyal citizens of North Carolina and other Southern States, will be pleased to learn that Congress at the last session passed a law for a commission to be appointed to examine and report on all claims that may be presented to them for Quartermaster and Commissary stores furnished the Federal Army during the late war.

The undersigned are prepared to furnish blanks, and give all information to those having claims—and to prosecute the same to final settlement. Having received the endorsement for ability, &c., from the Hon. Senators Messrs. Pool and Abbott and the Representatives from North Carolina—we believe that we can give satisfaction to all who entrust their claims to us.

McLELLAND & BENEDICT,
Attorneys and solicitors of Claims and Patents
105 North Street, Washington, D. C.
14-tf.

DR. CROOK'S WINE OF TAR.—

10 YEARS OF A

Public test has proved

DR. CROOK'S

WINE OF TAR.

To have more merit than any similar preparation ever offered the public.

It is rich in the Medicinal qualities of Tar, an Unequaled for Diseases of the Throat and Lungs, performing the most remarkable cures.

Coughs, Colds, Chronic Coughs,

It effectually cures them all.

Asthma and Bronchitis

Has cured so many cases it has been pronounced a specific for these complaints.

Pains in Breast, Side or Back, Gravel or Kidney Disease, Diseases of the Urinary Organs Jaundice or any Liver Complaint.

It has no equal.

It is also a superior Tonic

Restores the Appetite,

Strengthens the System,

Restores the Weak and Debilitated

Causes the Food to Digest.

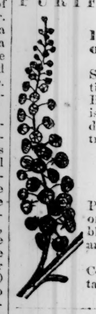
Removes Dyspepsia and Indigestion

Prevents Malarious Fevers,

Gives tone to your System.

TRY DR. CROOK'S WINE OF TAR.

PURIFY YOUR BLOOD.



For Scrofula, Scrofulous Diseases of the Eyes, or Scrofula in form.

Any disease or eruption of the Skin, disease of the liver, Rheumatism, Pimples, Old Sores, Ulcers, Broken-down Constitutions, Syphilis, or any disease depending on a depraved condition of the blood, try

DR. CROOK'S

SYRUP OF

POKE ROOT

It has the medicinal property of Poke combined with a preparation of Iron which goes at once into the blood, performing the most rapid and wonderful cures.

Ask your druggist for Dr. Crook's Compound Syrup of Poke Root—take it and be healed. 21—tf.

FOR SALE!

THAT most desirable property of Dr. Wm. Nicholson's, at Belvidere, N. C.; consisting of a farm of 125 acres of valuable land, one-third of which is in an improved state of cultivation, the remainder in wood land. There is on the place a fine two-story residence, with two one story buildings attached; containing thirteen complete rooms—a Dr's. office, smoke-house, wood-house, wash-house, &c., &c., in good order; also barns and stables on the lot. There is an orchard of 50 Apple and Pear trees just commencing to bear. There is also attached to this property a good store-building and ware-house—most favorably located as a business stand. One of the best schools in the country has been in active operation here for 25 years. A Friend's meeting-house one mile off; also a Baptist church in the neighborhood. The citizens are noted for their high-toned morality and liberal views. For further particulars apply to the subscriber, or to Dr. Wm. Nicholson Lawrence, Kansas.

JOSIAH NICHOLSON,
Belvidere, N. C.

Dec. 21, 1871—3m.

LAND AND LUMBER COMPANY'S COLUMN.

LAND AND LUMBER COMPANY

OF

NORTH CAROLINA.

Incorporated by the Legislature of North Carolina, December 17, 1868.

CAPITAL STOCK - - - - $300,000,00.

General Office: Elizabeth City, N. C.

OFFICERS

J. M. WEED, President. C. W. SMITH, Treasurer.

C. H. ROBINSON, Secretary.

DIRECTORS

J. M. WEED, WM. UNDERWOOD, CHARLES W. SMITH, N. R. ZIMMERMAN AND G. B. THOMPSON.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE LAND AND LUMBER COMPANY having a large amount of Real Estate of their own to dispose of, and their business having increased to such an extent, they think it prudent to decline acting further as Commission Agents for the sale of lands belonging to others. They will however be glad at all times to furnish every facility to parties coming to Elizabeth City with a desire to look at the country and make purchases if they find it to their interest to do so.

The following list of property, owned by the Company, is offered for sale on the most reasonable terms. Their object now is to acquire a larger monied capital for the purpose of further developing their unimproved lands and carrying out their original design of increasing the Commerce and General Trade of Elizabeth City.

As there are others in the Commission Business, parties are referred to their advertisement for further information.

ELIZABETH CITY.

The following desirable list of Properties in Elizabeth City are offered at very reduced prices for cash or on time payments at rates which make any of them excellent investments for capitalists. We feel confident that this City is destined to become a large place and property will advance rapidly. Emigration is now tending Southernward and the feeling is in universal favor toward Elizabeth City.

A large two story dwelling known as the Parsonage, with fine double Piazza, front and back, large out kitchen, stables, carriage house, with 17 acres of ground well enclosed. This ground is all within the corporation of the City, and is well situated to lay out in building lots and make out of it ten fold the price asked for it.

A two-story dwelling containing ten rooms, 10,000 gallon cistern and all necessary out-houses, with large lot. Situated on Main Street. A Vacant Lot no better located and not so large as this was sold recently for $1600 cash.

A large brick store house and wharf situate on Water street; in E. City, comprising three lots with 400 feet of water front permanently wharfed for the accommodation of large vessels. There is erected on these lots a large two-story brick building, 50 by 80 feet, well fitted up for a wholesale or retail trade at present occupied by the "Yankee Store."

A large wood store on west side of Water street 36 by 60, two stories high, being one of the best stands on Water street for merchandizing.

A House and Lot on Riverside Avenue. House 20ft front by 50 ft deep. Containing eight rooms with Pantry and Cellar, all well finished, modern style, and having all necessary out buildings. The lot contains a front of 400 ft, and would be a good location for a large shop or foundry as one whole side fronts on the water.

Also a large number of Wharf Lots, Mill Lots and Vacant Lots at very low prices, some of which are enumerated below. The Wharf Lots are 200ft deep and will be sold to any size desired along the River. Among them are some most eligible situations for Store Houses, Mills and Manufactories of any kind as there is a fine harbor immediately in front of them, having 30ft of water, sufficient for vessels of any capacity. Along Pennsylvania Avenue are offered some of the finest and choicest lots, for dwellings in town at prices varying according to location. This will be the finest street in town, is 80 feet wide, size of Lot 100ft front by 200ft deep. There are now a number of first class residences being erected on this street. Immediately in the vicinity of these Lots the Company have erected a large Planing Mill, Sash, Blind and Door Factory at a cost of near $20,000 and also their Saw Mill at a cost of near $15,000. That *now* is the proper time to invest in those Lots there can be no doubt, as they will double in value in a very short time. Lots not near so good as these, are now selling in other parts of the City at more than double the price asked for these.

VACANT LOTS.

Lots Nos. 150, 155, 158, 161, 163, 165, 167, 170. 172. 175, 178, 180, 182. 185, 187. 190 193, 195, 198 and 200, situate on Pennsylvania avenue, in the new extension of Elizabeth City, all choice lots, intended for the better class of residences. Size of lots 100 feet front by 200 feet deep. Price varying, according to location, from $100 to $1000.

TOWN LOTS.

Lots Nos. 250, 253, 255, 256, 258, 261, 263, 266, 267, 268, 271, 283, 285. 287, 288, 289, 291, 296, 299 and 300, situated on various Streets in the new extension of Elizabeth City, size of lots 50 feet front by 100 feet deep, at prices varying from $25 to $100.

MILL LOTS.

Four Mill-Lots situated on Knobb's Creek, so that logs can be taken from the creek to the mill. These lots have 200 feet each of water front, and over 600 feet deep to Mill street, and are choice sites. The purchaser will also have the right of storage for logs in the boom.

PASQUOTANK COUNTY.

The Land and Lumber Company also offer for sale, one thousand acres of their timbered land along the Main Road leading from Elizabeth City to Hertford and Edenton,. Said land heavily wooded, soil very rich and about four miles from Elizabeth City. This land will be sold in lots to suit purchasers and at the low price of ten dollars per acre.

They also offer a tract of three thousand acres in Lots to suit purchasers, near the Pasquotank River, ten miles from Elizabeth City and three miles from South Mills. This land is heavily set with wood and also has upon it a vast amount of saw timber, and has a most excellent soil. This is a fine location for a small Colony. There is now a Public Road running directly through it. This tract is offered at the low price of eight dollars per acre if sold to one party, or at only a fraction more if divided into small lots.

The Company will also sell their farm of 150 acres two miles from Elizabeth City. 125 acres cleared and under good cultivation, well fenced, having upon it two dwelling houses, one new and the necessary out buildings wanted on a farm, and will be sold on very reasonable terms.

Also another farm one mile from Elizabeth City containing one hundred acres, between thirty and forty acres cleared and under cultivation, the balance is now being cut off and is nearly ready to be cleared up and cultivated. This property is very desirable being so near the City though for reasons first given will be sold at a very low price.

We have a finely timbered tract of land situated on the Albemarle Sound twenty miles from Elizabeth City, containing 124 acres. Good timber land bordering on the water is valuable both for wood as well as saw timber as water transportation affords a good margin for wood, say one dollar per cord. This will also make good farm land—will be sold for one thousand dollars.

Also one other tract of land containing 154 acres situated immediately on the Pasquotank River ten miles from Elizabeth City, valuable for wood, and is excellent farming lands, would be sold for six dollars per acre.

GATES COUNTY.

The Land & Lumber Company have a tract of 350 acres of timbered land one half mile from Chowan River and three miles from Winton the county seat of Hertford county. This body of land is well timbered and will be sold at the low price of three dollars per acre.

☞ The most direct and cheapest route is to go to Baltimore by N. C. R. R., then Bay Line steamer to Norfolk, Va., then steamer to Elizabeth City, N. C.

MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN LUMBER.

The LAND & LUMBER COMPANY are also proprietors of the Elizabeth City Saw and Planing Mills, and Manufacturers and Dealers in

DRESSED AND *UNDRESSED*

LUMBER, FLOORING

WEATHER BOARDING,

PLASTERING LATAES,

DOORS, SASH,

BLINDS, MOULDINGS,

BRACKETS, &C.

Also Dealers in Shingles, Fence Post, and Wood

Newel Posts, Banisters and other turning promptly attended to. Contracts taken for buildings, and all building material furnished when desired.

WANTED.

WANTED.—Any quantity of good Pine and Cypress Saw Logs delivered at the Land & Lumber Co's Mill at Elizabeth City, N. C., for which the Highest Market Price will be paid.

Logs should be cut in the Months of July, August, September, October, November, December and January.

All Logs must be cut in even lengths of 12, 14 or 16 feet, with 3 or 4 inches allowed for run of saw.

16 FEET LENGTHS PREFERED.

The Logs must be Sawed off at both ends else a Reduction in price will be made. For Further information inquire at our office.

LAND & LUMBER CO.

Elizabeth City, N. C.

NEW STEAM FREIGHT LINE FROM NORFOLK TO ELIZ. CITY.

The Steamer Abby will leave McCullock's wharf at Norfolk, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and the Land & Lumber Company's wharf, at E. City, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 5 o'clock A. M., and will stop for freight at all way landings.

All way freight must be pre-paid.

E. City, N. C., Jan. 3d, 1872.

ELMER DEAKYNE, Capt.

R. R. R.

RADWAY'S READY RELIEF

CURES THE WORST PAINS

In from One to Twenty Minutes. Not One Hour after reading this advertisement need any one suffer with pain. Radway's Ready Relief is a cure for every pain. It was the first and is

THE ONLY PAIN REMEDY

that instantly stops the most excruciating pains, allays Inflammations, and cures Congestions, whether of the Lungs, Stomach, Bowels, or other glands or organs, by one application.

IN FROM ONE TO TWENTY MINUTES, no matter how violent or excruciating the pain the Rheumatic, Bed-ridden, Infirm, Crippled Nervous, Neuralgic, or prostrated with disease may suffer,

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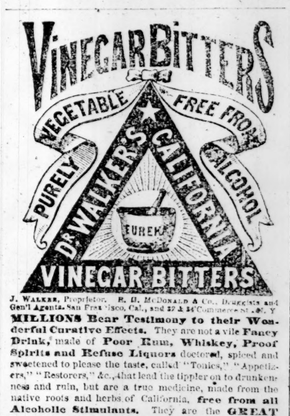

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